Crime Column Listing (by severity)

In cases involving multiple current offenses, it may not be clear from the matrices, which is the most severe offense. The following lists the 19 columns of both matrices in order of severity for purposes of identifying the correct column to use to intersect with the criminal history row in order to arrive at a guidelines recommendation. **This list does not attempt to comment on the egregiousness or victimization of a particular offense or category of offenses. It simply lists a hierarchy of guidelines severity when considering both disposition and length of stay.**

1	1st Degree Murder	
2	1st Degree Mandatory Prison 15 to Life	sex offense
3	1st Degree Mandatory Prison 10 to Life	sex offense
4	1st Degree Mandatory Prison 6 to Life	sex offense
5	1st Degree Mandatory Prison 5 to Life	sex offense
6	1st Degree Mandatory Prison 3 to Life	sex offense
7	1st Degree 5 to Life	sex offense
8	1st Degree Person	
9	2nd Degree Death	
10	1st Degree 3 to Life	sex offense
11	1st Degree Other	
12	2nd Degree 1 to 15	sex offense
13	2nd Degree Person	
14	3rd Degree Death	
15	3rd Degree 0 to 5	sex offense
16	3rd Degree Person	
17	2nd Degree Other	
18	3rd Degree Other	
19	Class A Misdemeanor 0 to 1	sex offense